UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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| Docket No. | P08179US00/RFH |
| 1 st Inventor | CHAN, Frederick Ying-shu |
| Title | PROTECTION FOR BI- |
| | DIRECTIONAL OPTICAL • |
| | WAVELENGTH DIVISION |
| | MULTIPLEXED COMMUNICATIONS |
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| APPLICATION ELEMENTS | ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS |
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| X Fee Transmittal (FEE CALCULATION below) | Application Data Sheet |
| X Applicant claims small entity status | Assignment Papers (cover sheet + document(s)) |
| X Specification [total pages = 16] | Information Disclosure Statement |
| X Drawings [total sheets = 3] | Preliminary Amendment |
| X Oath or Declaration [total sheets = 1] | Certified Copy of Priority Document |
| X Newly executed (original or copy) | X Return Receipt Postcard |
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CONTINUING APPLICATION-check box below-must claim benefit of parent via Pre. Am., Appl Data Sheet or in Spec.

| This is a | Continuation | Divisional | Continuation-in-Part |
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| of: Prio | r Appl. No.: | Examiner: | Art Unit: |
| which an oath or dec or divisional applicati | laration is supplied abov on and is hereby incorp | ve, is considered a part of | tire disclosure of the prior application, from the disclosure of the accompanying continuation accorporation can only be relied upon when a sts. |
| separate petition for t §1.136(a) for an exte | the pending prior applications of time in the pending Commissioner is authors. | ation is not filed on even da ding prior application of as | omitted in the pending prior application and that ate, applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. many months as are required to render this or additional fee due in connection with this |

| FEE CALCULATION and notations | | | | | |
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| | NOW | Basic Number | Present Extra | Rate | <u>\$</u> |
| X TOTAL CLAIMS | 14 | - 20 | | X \$ 18 = | |
| X INDEP. CLAIMS | 2 | - 3 | | X \$86 = | |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) + \$ 290 = | | | | | |
| X | | | BASIC FILING | FEE \$770 = | 770 |
| TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = | | | | 770. | |
| X Reduction by ½ for small entity status of applicant – | | | 385 ` | | |
| | | | | SUBTOTAL = | 385 |
| Fee for recording of assignment + \$ 40 = | | | | | |
| | | | TO | TAL OF ALL FEES = | 385 |
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Payment of \$ 385.00 is made by attached CREDIT CARD PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION (PTO-2038)

If no payment or an insufficient payment is enclosed and a fee is due in connection herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee or additional fee due in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 12-0555.

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